

Abstract

A glass cutting table (1) has a support in the form of a top (3) for the glass plate to be divided, furthermore a cutting bridge (4) which can be moved along the support, and on which a cutting head (6) with a cutting tool is located. The drive and guide unit (10) is located at a distance underneath the top (3) which forms the support of the glass cutting table (1) and is attached to the base frame (2) of the glass cutting table (1) independently of the top (3). In addition the guide and drive unit (10), which consists of guide rods (12) for the cutting bridge (4) and a gear-toothed belt drive (15, 16, 17) for moving the cutting bridge (4) relative to the outside contour of the top (3) of the glass cutting table (1), is offset to the inside to especially the lengthwise edges (5) of the top (3). Thus, the support of the glass cutting table (1) is easily accessible, there is no danger that the guide and drive unit (10) will be fouled or damaged by glass shards or the like, and for a top (3) which is made divided its part (30) which can be folded up can be tilted to accommodate glass plates to be divided, independently of the guide and drive unit (10).